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SUBJECT: WEEKLY REPORT

1. PROGRAM ENVIRONMENT:

THE VISIT TO BURMA BY TENT HSIAO-PING CONCLUDED JANUARY 31 WITH COLORFUL DEPARTURE CEREMONY. THE ARRANGEMENT OF ENTHUSIASTIC CROWDS THROUGHOUT THE VISIT, WAVING OF FLAGS, AND WARM TOASTS AT BANQUETS PROVIDED THE MOST ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION FOR ANY VISITOR TO BURMA AS A STATE GUEST WITHIN OUR MEMORY. AT THE SAME TIME, LEAVING NOTHING TO CHANCE AND REFLECTING MORE ACCURATELY ON THE REAL RELATIONSHIP, ALL LOCAL RESIDENTS VISITING THE CHINESE EMBASSY FOR A MEETING WITH TENG HSIAO-PING WERE PHOTOGRAPHED FROM A CONCEALED POINT BY BURMESE SECURITY SERVICE.

A NORTH KOREAN CULTURAL TROUPE IS IN RANGOON FOR SEVERAL DAYS VISIT.

2. PROGRAM NOTES:

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INFORMATION OFFICER DELIGIANIS DRAFTED TEXT OF STATEMENT RELEASED BY FALCO JANUARY 26 IN HONG KONG. AT GUB DIRECTION BURMESE PRESS WAITED UNTIL TENG DEPARTED BEFORE USING MATERIAL. THREE NEWSPAPERS (ONE ENGLISH TWO BURMESE) GAVE PROMINENT SPACE AND USED FULL TEXT. VOA BROADCAST TEXT MONITORED BY GUB MADE POSITIVE IMPRESSION AS WELL.

PAO HOSTED DINNER JANUARY 31 WITH FOUR OFFICERS MINISTRY FOREIGN AFFAIRS, INCLUDING DIRECTOR FAR EAST AND PACIFIC DIVISION AND DIRECTOR PROTOCOL DIVISION. DINNER PRECEDED BY HOLBROOKE JANUARY 6 VTR PROVIDING IN CONTEXT JUST CONCLUDED TENG VISIT FOCUS FOR LIVELY DISCUSSIONS U.S. POLICY ASIA AND CHINA.

MANDALAY EXHIBIT "HISTORY OF FLIGHT" CONCLUDED WITH TOTAL ATTENDANCE 48,459 INCLUDING GOOD SECONDARY AUDIENCE COVERAGE: TEACHERS TRAINING COLLEGE, MANDALAY UNIVERSITY, AIR FORCE ACADEMY.

FIFTEEN PERSONS ATTENDED CAO DINNER FOR RESIDENT AMERICAN SPECIALIST PROF. SHIRO AMIOKA AND REGIONAL COLLEGE SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE.

SIXTY-THREE GUESTS ATTENDED SCREENING RECENTLY RELEASED BURMESE FILM BASED ON O. HENRY SHORT STORY. ATTENDEES MET DIRECTOR, AND ACTORS DURING EVENING AT AMERICAN CENTER.

AMERICAN CENTER ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK 334 FOR FILMS AND ONE VTR PRESENTATION PATRICIA DERIAN ON FACE THE NATION.

OFF PREMISES 253 FACULTY/GRADUATE STUDENTS AT RANGOON UNIVERSITY HISTORY DEPARTMENT SAW THREE AGENCY FILMS (GEORGE MARSHALL, YEARS BETWEEN, MORE THAN A DREAM). CAO ATTENTION AND CULTIVATION DEVOTED TO THIS IMPORTANT INSTITUTION COMBINES TO PERMIT POST LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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